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JP '487 was cited in an Office Action of a corresponding Japanese application and previously cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed December 1, 2005. Applicant is providing herewith an English language translation of that document.

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

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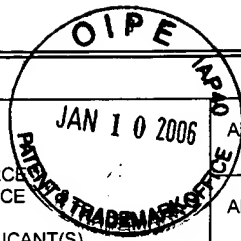
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